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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

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Notice of Public Meeting: Northeast California Resource Advisory Council Sage

Grouse Conservation Subcommittee and Resource Advisory Council

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of public meetings.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 (FLPMA), and the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972 (FACA), the U. S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Northeast California Resource Advisory Council's sage grouse conservation subcommittee and the full

Resource Advisory Council will meet as follows.

DATES: The subcommittee will meet Tuesday, November 12, 2013, at 10 a.m. at the Bureau of Land Management's Eagle Lake Field Office, 2950 Riverside Dr., Susanville, California. The full advisory council will meet Wednesday, Dec. 4, at 10 a.m., also at the BLM Eagle Lake Field Office. Both meetings are open to the public.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Nancy Haug, BLM Northern California District manager, (530) 224-2160; or Joseph J. Fontana, BLM public affairs officer,

(530) 252-5332.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The subcommittee was formed by the 15-

member Northeast California Resource Advisory Council to work on issues associated

with amending the BLM's Alturas, Eagle Lake and Surprise Field Office Resource

Management Plans to incorporate regulatory mechanisms for conservation of sage grouse

habitat. On November 12, the subcommittee will develop a recommendation for

consideration by the full advisory council. On December 4, the full advisory council will

consider subcommittee recommendations and consider a proposal for the BLM. The

council also will hear status reports on other land use planning matters on northeast

California public lands. Public comments will be taken at 2 p.m. The Northeast

California Resource Advisory Council advises the Secretary of the Interior, through the

BLM, on a variety of planning and management issues associated with public land

management in northeast California and the northwest corner of Nevada. Members of

the public who plan to attend and need special assistance, such as sign language

interpretation and other reasonable accommodations, should contact the BLM as

provided above.

Dated: Sept. 10, 2013.

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Public Affairs Officer.

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